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TWO-PART/SSA



An Old Cherry Tree

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SSA or Two-part* and Piano

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Andante ♩ = ca. 80

mp

8 Unison Voices mp

'Twas an ear - ly sum-mer's morn - ing, when the

12

sun be-gan to play. It would dance a-cross the wa - ters, trees, and

Duration: approx. 3:00

*For Two-part performance, omit the Alto part.

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16

branch - es as they'd sway.

mf

20

mp

24

SS (Two-part)

mf

mf

A (opt.)

In a field, down in a val - ley ros - es

In a field, down in a val - ley ros - es

mf

27

grew both far and wide. And be - yond, the sun - lit

grew — both far and wide. And be - yond, the sun - lit

39 *mp*
 old cher - ry tree. Oo
 old cher - ry tree. Oo
mp

42 *mf*
 And it's
 And it's
mf

45
 col - or bright as ev - er, bright pink and pet - als white as
 col - or bright as ev - er, bright pink and pet - als white as

48 *rit.* *a tempo*
, p

snow. And a - mong a field of ros - es stood an old cher - ry

snow. And a - mong a field of ros - es stood an old cher - ry

rit. *a tempo*
p

52 *mp*

tree. Beau - ti - ful that old cher - ry

tree. Beau - ti - ful that old cher - ry

mp

mp

56 *ff*

tree. For her roots — as strong as i - ron, a - gainst the wind — stands proud and

tree. For her roots as strong as i - ron, a - gainst the wind stands proud and

ff

ff

60 *mf*

sure. Yet she's stead - y, strong, and peace-ful that old cher - ry

sure. Yet she's stead - y, strong, and peace-ful that old cher - ry

mf

64 *mp* *mf*

tree. Oo...

tree. Oo...

mp *mf*

68 *mp*

— She per - sists — through storm and sun-shine, em-brac-es rain, — the sleet, and

— She per - sists through storm and sun-shine, em-brac-es rain, the sleet, and

mp

72 *rit.* *a tempo*
p
 snow. Still she's firm a-mong the ros - es — that old cher - ry
p
 snow. Still she's firm a-mong the ros - es — that old cher - ry

76 *mp*
 tree. Beau - ti - ful that old cher - ry tree.
mp
 tree. Beau - ti - ful that old cher - ry tree.

81 *p* *rit.*
 Old cher - ry tree.
p
 Old cher - ry tree.

p *rit.*